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This communication is responsive to the Final Office Action dated August 7, 2008, concerning the above-referenced patent application. As the shortened statutory reply period expires on November 7, 2008, this response is timely filed.

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